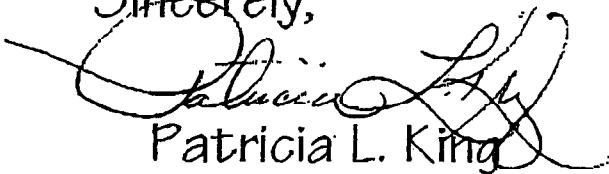


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I would like to state to the Court and to express to all those many persons who were victims of the illegal and corrupt fraudulent scheme engaged in by my husband Jon King, other members of my family and other persons, my most sincere apologies. I now know and believe that all allegations contained in the government's Superseding Indictment are true. Such conduct was wrong and I too should have recognized it. There is no positive spin or explanation possible that could ever defend such conduct. To everyone, I apologize for these acts and this shame, especially to my children. These wrongful acts will accompany me and my family for the remainder of our natural lives.

Sincerely,


Patricia L. King